





## TO ENJOIN CORTELYOU.

Subscriber for Panama Bonds Complains.

Declares Secretary Favored National Banks.

Says His Bid, Though High, Was Ignored.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Justice Gould of the District Supreme Court today cited George B. Cortelyou, Secretary of the Treasury, to appear in court January 3, to show cause why he should not be enjoined from turning over or delivering the balance of the \$21,430,000 of the Panama Canal bonds to certain banks and persons to whom he has announced allotments.

The citation issued by Justice Gould is based on a petition filed by George W. Austin of New York, who describes himself as a taxpayer and property owner in the United States, and who declares he made a proposal to purchase bonds of the advertised issue of face value of \$2,000,000. He avers he had agreed to pay at the rate of \$102.25 and accrued interest per \$100, and on notice of the acceptance of his subscription, stands ready to deposit the amount with the assistant treasurer at New York.

Mr. Austin informs the court that he has been advised through the public press that, in direct violation of the statutes, and in absolute disregard of the Treasury Department's circular, of the \$25,000,000 of the bond allotted, only \$1,000,000 were allotted to persons who were individual bidders, and who, in accordance with the statutes and said circular, were given equal opportunity to subscribe therefor, the remaining \$24,000,000 were allotted to divers national banks, and only \$2,500,000 of them were allotted to banks which had offered a higher price than that bid by him.

When he learned that his bid had been ignored, and no allotment made to him, he says, he complained to the department, and the response convinced him of the Secretary's intention to disregard the statutes, and thereby commit a malfeasance, for which, he says, Mr. Cortelyou is a man of sufficient means to answer to the citizens of the United States and to him.

WESTINGHOUSE SETTLEMENT.

CONDITIONS REPORTED GOOD.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)  
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 18.—Following several conferences between the receivers and directors of the Westinghouse concern, with a view of giving the affairs of the company back to the stockholders, George Westinghouse, president of the various companies, said: "We think everything is in splendid condition. Not only were the reports of the receivers satisfactory, but the plans formulated for working out all details of the problem seemed to meet with favor. Everything connected with the affairs of the corporation shows a most hopeful situation. A detailed report on all these matters may be made public soon."

From another source came a report, said to be authoritative, that propositions had practically been completed by which the Westinghouse corporation would be put in such a position that the receiver would be discharged within ten days.

FAILURE FOLLOWS DEATH.

Massachusetts Bank Fails to Open

When Cashier Is Found Drowned in Bath.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

NORTH ATTLEBORO (Mass.) Dec. 18.—The Jewelers' National Bank of this town, whose vice-president and cashier, Frederick E. Sargent, was found dead in a bathtub in his apartment, failed to open for business today. Bank examiners Alfred Ewer and Harry N. Currier are making an investigation.

Although Albert H. Higgins, president of the bank, who is in New York City, sent communications from that city last night that the institution

UP AND DOWN THE VALLEY.

PATH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Throughout the Middle West, tonight, the temperature is slowly slipping down in the zero direction. While no remarkably cold weather is expected, yet the country in general today was blanketed by freezing weather. Maximum temperature for Chicago was 22 deg.; minimum, 22 deg. Middle West temperatures:

Max. Min.

Alpena ..... 26 20

Bismarck ..... 26 20

Cairo ..... 26 20

Cheyanne ..... 26 20

Cincinnati ..... 26 20

Cleveland ..... 26 20

Concordia ..... 26 20

Davenport ..... 26 20

Denver ..... 26 20

Des Moines ..... 26 20

Detroit ..... 26 20

Devils Lake ..... 26 20

Dodge City ..... 26 20

Dubuque ..... 26 20

Elkhart ..... 26 20

Escanaba ..... 26 20

Grand Rapids ..... 26 20

Green Bay ..... 26 20

Helena ..... 26 20

Huron ..... 26 20

Indianapolis ..... 26 20

Kansas City ..... 26 20

Marquette ..... 26 20

Memphis ..... 26 20

Minneapolis ..... 26 20

Omaha ..... 26 20

St. Louis ..... 26 20

St. Paul ..... 26 20

South St. Paul ..... 26 20

Springfield, Ill. .... 26 20

Springfield, Mo. .... 26 20

Wichita ..... 26 20

NEW THEATRE ORDERED.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Judge Kernen would neither kiss nor tell today when a comedy woman offered to imprint a burning smooch upon his lips because he ordered a new trial for Mrs. Angela Anseloni, convicted last week for killing Philip Terroo. Mrs. Frederick W. Freer, Mrs.

PACKET LINE SOLD.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

BURLINGTON (Iowa) Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Diamond Joe Packet Line, on the Upper Mississippi River, has been sold to a syndicate for \$1,500,000.

## LATEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF SWEDEN'S NEW RULERS.



King and Queen of Sweden, as they appear today. King Gustav's reign begins auspiciously, the people of the realm having manifested the same loyalty and affection for him that they gave his august father.

## CITY OVER VOLCANO.

(Continued From First Page.)

should be open for business as usual today, the directors at an early meeting today voted to keep the bank closed until a thorough examination of its books has been made.

According to the last statement of the bank the capital was \$100,000; surplus and undivided profits, \$46,550; deposits, \$1,050,710, and loans and discounts \$917,760.

MADE ILLEGAL LOANS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Albert H. Higgins, president of the Jewelers' National Bank of North Attleboro, who lives in this city, said today:

"The sudden death of Cashier Sargent naturally excited suspicion, and caused an immediate investigation of the condition of the bank. This shows that Mr. Sargent had exceeded his authority and, without the permission of the directors, had made loans to local concerns in which he was interested. The directors, pending the examination, declared it best for the bank to remain closed."

BIG WITHDRAWALS OF CASH.

Chicago Savings Deposits Reduced by Five Millions in Last Thirty Days.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is estimated that banks in Chicago have lost between \$5,000,000 and \$6,000,000 in savings deposits since they made their last official report November 15. The calculation is based upon the shrinkage shown by a number of the leading downtown institutions during that time.

It is said that fully two-thirds of the loss has occurred within the last fortnight, or since the large banks began paying their depositors in cash with a view toward liquidating withdrawal notices.

In their statements to the State Auditor, forty-five local savings banks show a total loss in savings deposits since November 15, of approximately \$10,000,000.

NORDICA AS AN ACTRESS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Miss Lillian Nordica, whose contract with Oscar Hammerstein of the Manhattan Opera House has just been canceled, will make her debut as an actress January 21. She will appear in a very small part, that of a maid, in a one-act play entitled "Mrs. Van Veenen" at the Plaza Hotel. Mrs. George J. Gould, who, before her marriage, was Miss Nordica, will appear in the leading part in the play. Kyle Belieu will complete the star cast.

SECRET HISTORY.

NEW KING IS KAISER'S PUPIL.

GERMAN EMPEROR ADVISED USE OF FORCE AGAINST NORWAY.

Gustav, While Still Crown Prince, Had Ambition to Secure Power in World Politics, but Oscar Was Wiser Than Son and Averted Civil War by Resuming Throne.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

LONDON, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] King Gustav V of Sweden, it just transpires, while still Crown Prince, nursed an ambition to play a part in the stern school of world politics, with the Kaiser of Germany as his mentor.

That was in the days before Norway broke away from the dual kingdom and set up for herself. Five years ago Crown Prince Gustav visited Germany, ostensibly on a hunting trip. It was, perhaps, only by accident that at the hunting lodge in the Tyrol he met Emperor William of Germany and Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria. It was a critical moment in the affairs of Norway and Sweden, and it was a question in Europe whether or not civil war could be avoided.

At the time of his hunting trip with the two Emperors, the then Crown Prince was believed to be on the eve of ascending the throne of Norway, and soon afterward it became known that he had declared himself in favor of denying all of Norway's demands, and of using armed force to keep Norway in the union. It was quietly known throughout Europe that the Crown Prince looked to Germany for aid in keeping the Norwegians in check.

In return for Germany's aid, the Crown Prince, when he ascended the throne, was to give Sweden the support to the Kaiser's ambition to add Holland to the German Empire—an ambition to which it is known the Kaiser still clings. But old King Oscar, wiser than his son, saw all the complications into which the Crown Prince was drifting. He had retired temporarily to his home in the island of Skokholm. He quietly returned to the throne, and it was his wise statesmanship which permitted Norway to remain a free and independent nation.

His wife, who is the daughter of the old Duke of Baden, is a cousin of Emperor William, and she fully shared his husband's ambition to put down Norway's independence by force if necessary. She has never been popular with the Swedish people, and she has spent nearly all of her married life out of that kingdom under the pretense of being an invalid.

The future relations of Sweden with Europe will have a strong German bias. This is recognized more than ever since the death of King Oscar and the ascent of his son to the throne.

Taft Nearing Home.

President Grant Will Probably Dock at New York About Noon Tomorrow.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

ON BOARD STEAMER PRESIDENT GRANT (By Wireless, Halifax, N. S.) Dec. 17.—Secretary of War Taft, who is finishing the last stage of his journey around the world on the President Grant, will probably reach New York about noon next Friday.

In commenting today on the departure of the big American fleet of warships for the Pacific, the Secretary said he viewed the undertaking with great satisfaction. He regarded the cruise as necessary practice, and valuable as placing the men and ships under conditions approaching a war footing.

By this cruise they will gain experience which would not be obtainable in any other way," said he. "It would be useless to spend millions of dollars in building up a navy and then withhold opportunity for practice."

Mr. Taft declared that the cruise had no international significance. He declined to discuss American politics, saying he had no positive knowledge of present political plans in the United States.

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## CLEARSELF OF TREACHERY.

Cortelyou's Statement Clears Political Sky.

Does not Mean That He Will not Be Candidate.

History of Double-Dealing Charge Disclosed.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Secretary Cortelyou's formal statement is intended to set at rest the reports that either he or Frank Hitchcock, Assistant Postmaster-General, have been engaged in underground work or have been guilty of double-dealing in aiding the Secretary of the Treasury's candidacy for the Republican nomination. The statement is not to be accepted as meaning that Mr. Cortelyou will, under no circumstances, be a candidate before the Republican convention.

After what happened at the Republican National Committee meeting December 6, when Southern committee members, under the leadership of Mr. Hitchcock, and holding the balance of power in the committee, as between the Taft people and the allied candidates who are opposing the Secretary of the Treasury, swung their solid vote for Chicago, as against Kansas City, the trouble began.

Some of the Taft people went to Mr. Roosevelt complaining that Taft was being stabbed in the back by his friends; that Hitchcock and Cortelyou were playing false; that Hitchcock had been up the Southern committee members and the Southern Republican leaders, ostensibly for Roosevelt for a third term, but actually for Cortelyou, and that they had uncovered their hand. They demanded that Mr. Roosevelt declare his position and show to the country that he was still loyal to Taft.

The President, taking the action of the Southern committee members at its face value and chafing under the intimation that he was meeting disloyalty in Taft, rather precipitately and without consultation, reiterated his anti-third term statement of November, 1914. Mr. Roosevelt fully believed that Mr. Hitchcock and Mr. Cortelyou had been guilty of any treachery toward him, but he was anxious to remove himself from an awkward position.

On the first Cabinet day following the President's announcement, Mr. Cortelyou stayed behind after the other Cabinet members had left, and had a full and free interchange of views. On last Saturday evening the President told Mr. Hitchcock at the White House that he was not making any suspicion of double-dealing or treachery, and that he (the President) felt that Mr. Hitchcock had been straight and above-board in everything that he had done.

"NOT DISLOYAL," SAYS HITCHCOCK.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—A brief, but important contribution to current political comment was made tonight by Frank H. Hitchcock, First Assistant Postmaster-General.

In breaking the silence he has maintained since the President's statements concerning him that have been made from time to time, Mr. Hitchcock said the statement of Secretary Cortelyou, published today, disposes of the charge that he has ever been disloyal in any manner to President Roosevelt. He declares that any such charge is absolutely false, and the President knows it to be, having told him so. Mr. Hitchcock's statement follows:

"I have read Secretary Cortelyou's statement, as published in the morning paper. I am sure the public will accept it as a truthful declaration of a thoroughly sincere man. It disposes of the charge that he has ever been disloyal in any manner to President Roosevelt. He declares that any such charge is absolutely false, and the President knows it to be, having told him so. Mr. Hitchcock's statement follows:

"I do not care to discuss the matter further. I should not say even this much, but the apprehension that some people, who are unfamiliar with the facts, may be misled by the statements circulated."

HUGHES LEAGUE LAUNCHED.

Political Friends of New York Governor Expect Movement to Become Nation Wide.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Press this morning says:

"Representative Republicans of this State and from New Jersey and Connecticut met tonight in the general assembly room of the Hotel Manhattan and started with earnestness a movement to crystallize the sentiment for Gov. Hughes as the successor to Roosevelt. After several hours' deliberation, the meeting created the Hughes League of the United States and the Hughes League of the State of New York."

Temporary officers were elected and committees appointed to spread the movement to every Assembly district, every election district, every city, village and hamlet in the State and the nation.

"The meeting was secret, and the promoters of the league were not disposed to give the details of their plans until next Monday night, when another meeting will be held in the Republican Club and a full statement authorized will be prepared for the public."

It was the purpose of the Hughes nominators to keep the fact that they were organizing under cover for the present until the statement to be prepared for publication was ready. This will be an address to the voters of the State and nation that will plainly set before them the situation as it stands. All present agreed that there will not be much call for stirring of muscular or nerve force in bringing out the people, as they had found the voters, among them many Democrats, were only waiting the call to take the field for Gov. Hughes.

While the plans for the meeting in the Republican Club on next Monday night have not been divulged, it is the purpose of the Hughes leaders to make it the first real shot of the campaign.

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## RAILROAD RECORD.

## RAILWAY LEASE IS IN DANGER.

Important Step Taken in Case of Louisville Schools.

Central's Twenty-five Million Bonds Attacked.

Petition Filed by Kentucky City Board.

Associated Press—P.M.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 18.—An important step in the action brought by the Louisville school board two years ago to secure the Illinois Central Railroad for the city, was taken today when the board filed a petition with the circuit court asking for a writ of habeas corpus to prevent the Illinois Central from holding the city's bonds.

The board's action is based on the fact that the Illinois Central has failed to pay the city's bonds, and that the city is therefore entitled to a writ of habeas corpus to prevent the railroad from holding the bonds.

Associated Press—P.M.

AMTISTICE.

FISH FAVORED BY HARRIMAN.

UNITED AMTISTICE BY RIVAL IN ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

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TO DIVIDE VALLEY ROAD.

Santa Fe to Make Two Sections of System—Stockton Hopes to Get Headquarters.

STOCKTON, Dec. 18.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The Santa Fe is preparing to divide the Valley road system, which extends from Bakersfield to Richmond, into two sections and Stockton will undoubtedly be the headquarters for the section between here and San Francisco.

Division Superintendent Walker is said to favor either Escalon or Riverbank, where the company will be able to secure large yards at a small outlay. The restrictions placed upon the railroad by the council regarding opening freight trains at street crossings, and other things, has caused the official to look with disfavor upon Stockton as a headquarters, but it is understood this can be overcome by establishing a freight yard east of the city limits where all of the trains can be made up and thus afford a suitable home point for the railroad employees.

All Steel Car Building.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 18.—More than a hundred all-steel passenger cars will be in use on the Pennsylvania Railroad between this city and New York shortly after January 1. The cars are being built at the plant of the Pressed Steel Car Company here.

Electric Line Men in Conference.

LANSING (Mich.) Dec. 18.—Every interurban electric railway in the State and nearly all the city lines were represented at a conference held here yesterday with the new State Railroad Commission. The electric managers, who are now local, freight was handled by electricity than by steam. It was agreed by nearly all the managers present that passenger rates on interurban lines cannot be profitable at less than 2 cents a mile.

Working Time Increased.

ALTOONA (Pa.) Dec. 18.—Five thousand Pennsylvania Railroad shopmen here, whose working time was reduced from ten to eight hours a day three weeks ago, on account of the stringency, have been ordered back to the ten-hour system tomorrow.

Acquitted of Manslaughter.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Alfred H. Smith, vice-president of the New York Central Railroad Company, was acquitted today of a charge of manslaughter, brought in connection with the wreck of the Brewster Express at Woodlawn last February, in which twenty-four persons were killed. Just the Kellogg directed the verdict.

New York Central Dividend.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—The regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent. was declared today by the directors of the New York Central Railroad Company.

Western Pacific Growth.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—According to a report by the Western Pacific officials, forwarded to George J. Gould, the tracks of the company will have reached Sacramento from Stockton by Friday or Saturday next. Then the company will have a continuous stretch of seventy-six miles of completed railroad from Sacramento, through Stockton and westward to Midway, a point thirty-two miles beyond Niles. New the rail end is within about four miles of the capital city.

Reading Dividend Declared.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—The Reading company today declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent. on the common stock.

HIS BETTER HALF.

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## Music Department

Third floor, suggests these practical gifts:

Music rolls 35c to 50c.

Music Bags \$1 to \$4.

Music Stands, Japanese, 60c.

Music Stands, the Hamilton Telescopic \$1.25.

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## ALL THE LATEST SPORTING NEWS, LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC

## SEATTLE GAME DECLARED OFF.

## Northern School Faculty Refuses to Permit Trip.

## Keen Disappointment Among High School Rooters.

## Game With Berkeley Possible Here or up North.

Seattle High School has canceled its scheduled Christmas Day football game with the Los Angeles High School team. Faculty objection is given as the reason.

All negotiations with Seattle were declared off last night when a message was received by Los Angeles from Principal Geiger of Seattle, stating that it would be impossible to give the team permission to play in Los Angeles. Other advice says that the northern team has disbanded.

Six hundred tickets have been sold for the game and the management said last night that they would be redeemed when presented. Hundreds of high school rooters from all over Southern California had planned to attend the game and remain in Los Angeles a day or two for a good time.

There is only one chance remaining of the many proposed early in the season for a Christmas Day game here, and that is a match with Berkeley High for the championship of California. As the Berkeley school trustees already have expressed themselves as against the proposal, it is doubtful if the plans materialize.

Los Angeles Coach Sorenson, who has undertaken the active management of the proposed games, expects to know definitely by this noon whether a game with Berkeley can be arranged. If no game for Los Angeles can be provided, there is a probability that the local team will journey north to San Francisco and play Berkeley or an all-star high school team on New Year's Day. Possibly both teams may be played.

Coach Middleton of Lick is very anxious to have Los Angeles come to San Francisco and give an exhibition of the new game of football. He is confident that Los Angeles has the best High School team on the Coast and that the best high school team ever put together. He says that Los Angeles would have beaten Seattle about twelve to nothing, as the northern team had not yet mastered the new rules and played "straight" football, the forward pass and other innovations being not in use by the team.

The negotiations with Seattle have been rather unsatisfactory from the beginning. It appears that the faculty of the northern school had not been taken into the deal from the beginning, and that when the team had everything prepared to come to Los Angeles, the instructors broke into the game and downed the proposition for a loss. Los Angeles Coach Sorenson and others, who have invested in program tickets, are out about \$200. Seattle has promised to assist in paying this, it is said.

The only excuse offered by the Seattle faculty is that the team would meet the southern under adverse conditions and that they did not care to have their school advertised by the football squad. Los Angeles rooters believe that it is simply a case of "cold feet" upon the part of the faculty, as the players were anxious and were anxious to make the trip.

Everything was done by the Los Angeles managers to have the Seattle authorities rescind their original action, but it was no use. As a last resort, H. M. Bunker, second assistant superintendent of the Los Angeles public schools, who formerly taught in the Seattle High School, was appealed to for assistance, and he telegraphed to the Seattle faculty asking that they reconsider, but without result.

CONTRACT DEMANDS. In the contract submitted to the Seattle High School it was specified that the northern players had to be members of the A.A.U. Two contracts were submitted. The first was drawn up by the managers of the game and sent north.

Then, it is said, the faculty of the High School, upon the suggestion of O. E. Lowrey, physical director for the high school and coach of the football team, was drawn up and sent north a day or two following the first contract. It may be that this action had something to do with Seattle's refusing to come.

It is said that the Seattle team does not represent one school, but a number of schools in Seattle under public high school management, and that the best players from each school are selected to represent the city. It is said that this is largely the reason that the northern team has made such a success, as it has had a lot of star material to draw from.

Neither the L. A. Team nor the public have been informed of the failure to bring Seattle down, for it was not known definitely until the Seattle team everything was off. However, the managers say they are willing to settle up all business arrangements and either redeem the tickets sold or make them good for the Berkeley game, if such a contract is arranged.

It is said that Superintendent Moore is opposed to the northern games, but that the majority of the members of the High School faculty are desirous of either having Berkeley come to Los Angeles or to allow the team to visit San Francisco.

INTERSTATE MATCH. U.S.C. Law School Tennis Players May Meet the Team from Denver University.

Negotiations are about completed for an interstate tennis match between the U.S.C. Law School and Denver University teams. In addition to this, it is possible that a member of each team will meet in a blue-ribbon shot. Andrew S. White of the U.S.C. and Rufus King of Denver are both experts in the tennis court.

If the tennis contest is arranged, it will be held on the Venice Country Club courts, some time during the holidays.

Member Willard Andrews of the U.S.C. Law School team sent a challenge to Denver several weeks ago, and has received an answer in which the Denver players offer to come to Los Angeles if the expenses of two men are paid. Andrews says that the meet can be arranged if the U.S.C. alumni will take up the financial end of the matter at their next meeting, Saturday night.

## DEFEATS ALUMNI FIVE.

## Occidental Varsity Plays Good Game of Basketball Against Veteran Stars.

The Occidental varsity defeated a basketball five composed of alumni yesterday afternoon, by the score of 15 to 5.

The graduate team, although the men had not played since last year, showed as good team work as the varsity, but the forwards showed a lack of practice in not being able to hit the basket.

The varsity five led at the end of the first half by the score of 8 to 0, and although the picked team took a brace for the second session, the outcome of the game was never in doubt.

Roth and Beal played the best game for the alumni five, and Thomas made good showing for the varsity. Hilary's guarding was a feature of the game.

This afternoon the Presbyterians will play a return game with the Pasadena Y.M.C.A. on the Occidental Court.

The line-up: Occidental: McKenney forward, Beal forward, Baer-Thomas forward, Roth center, Porter center, Cleveland guard, Hilary guard, McDowell guard, Blee guard.

Length of halves, 20 minutes; goals: Occidental, 15; Alumni, 5. Referee, Kenner. 2. Beal, 2; McDowell, 1; goal from foul, Roth, 1; referee, Goben.

## MORE GRIEF.

## GOOD THINGS ARE BAD ONES.

BETTERS PLAY ON POOR NAGS AT ARCADIA RACES.

Four Favorites Finish in Front but Much Money Is Thrown Away Shooting at Cheap Skates—Card Is Ordinary One—Millions Owner R. F. Carman Wins Three Events.

Four favorites romped in first yesterday at Arcadia and the betting sports took back some of the money they dropped the day before. Fifteen books cut into the ring and the gambling was strong on every race. The only long-priced horse to win was Baldwin's Diamond at odds of 9 to 1 and Carman's Progress at 13 to 5, backed down from 5 to 1. The card was only an ordinary one, but the time made was very good and the track was fast.

R. F. Carman won three of the six races, with Progress in the second, Golden Shore in the third and Earl of Eglon in the fourth. He must have won a lot of money during the day, because he never left his nags run without a good-sized bet down. It is said that he is one owner that really tries to win every race his horses are entered in. He had the easiest time imaginable yesterday, for there was plenty of daylight behind each one of his winners.

The card was such a poor one that the majority of the sports had hard work guessing the winners, after the long shots of the previous day. The "wise" brigade dropped considerable money on the supposed "good thing" Beecher in the fifth race and he was backed down hastily from 20 to 1 to 6 to 1. He got away well, but evidently tired himself chasing the pace-maker, Prolific, and was second by two lengths into the stretch, but then stopped and finished in seventh place. Godfather was another "bad dog" special in the last race, but he came apparently run as fast as any.

There were no many possible winners in each race that all the nags received a little play. J. R. Levey had strong support in the third, but the best that he could do was third. He is evidently a very much overrated plug, but he did sell the price again and his every time he runs. Gabrielle was another alleged winner in the second, and while she ran and into the stretch, she did not finish that way by far. I'm Joe was another favorite alarm in the first and Red Rynard in the fifth, but both were out of the race in the fifth. Still another bitter disappointment was Manheimer in the last race, but there was doubtless enough bet on the winner to correct the loss of these bookmaker second choices.

There was no feature race and nothing worthy of special mention. Results: Five furlongs, selling: Mintia, 105 (Rosa), 9 to 5; Manzanar, 102 (Goldstein), 3 to 1; second, Escamado, 102 (McBride), 3 to 1; third, time 1:04.5; Luckett, Pustian, The Pog, I'm Joe, Jack Kercheville, Myrtle H. Joe Kelly, Red Knight and Jim Morrison also ran. Shorty, Toller, Pennum, and Common Sun scratched.

Five and one-half furlongs: Progress, 107 (Burns), 12 to 5; second, Cream Boy, 110 (Rosa), 3 to 1; third, Halie Sherman, 107 (Preston), 20 to 1; time 1:04.3; Bash, Gabrielle, Desmages, Aunt Polly, Beaufort and Red and Confessor also ran. Gov. Orman, Marvel, P. J. J. McC., Giovanni Balero and Visteria scratched.

One mile, selling: Golden Shore, 107 (Burns), 9 to 5; second, Timothy Wen, 110 (Rosa), 9 to 1; third, J. R. Levey, 99 (Marlin), 5 to 5; time 1:38.4; Anne, Red Reynard, Sharp Roy, Beecher, Mattie H., Ten Row, Ezra, Illusion and Edna Felice also ran. El Primero scratched. Red and Confessor also ran. Patriotic and Harvel scratched.

Five furlongs, purse: Diamondito, 103 (Herman), 9 to 1; second, Gene Wood, 102 (Rosa), 5 to 2; third, Dr. Simral, 100 (Garcia), 2 to 1; time 1:01. Child, Waldorf, Charlie Doherty, Baratan and Pendillon also ran. Latona scratched.

Six furlongs, selling: East End, 109 (Rosa), 7 to 5; second, Prince Nap, 108 (Mingray), 10 to 1; third, time 1:28.4; Anne, Red Reynard, Sharp Roy, Beecher, Mattie H., Ten Row, Ezra, Illusion and Edna Felice also ran. El Primero scratched. Red and Confessor also ran. Patriotic and Harvel scratched.

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Ready, Heroine of the Hands  
for Horror, Thanks Donors  
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After received by Potentate M.  
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Arabian Order Nobles of the  
Shrine, yesterday, Mrs. Elmer  
the heroine of the Shrine  
the receipt of the \$400 gift  
a recognition of her service.  
She says the money  
and to educate her  
and also is very grateful to  
the donors. "But I am trying  
to practice the golden rule, and  
try enough to follow in the  
without receiving any other  
gifts."  
A woman who deserves a  
the history of the shrine, re-  
the letter. "She gave all the  
and comfort to the shrine  
passengers of that ill-fated  
am absolutely certain that  
died herself of necessity to  
minister to the suffering  
repay her for that splendid  
devotion."  
Every Shrine in the country  
"Merry Christmas" to the  
the shrine, and the shrine  
a section box, and the  
station, near Honda.  
**ETARIES ARE BETTER.**  
INGTON, Dec. 18.—Secretary  
who is ill with the grippe,  
lacked somewhat better than  
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better.  
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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1936

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 houses; pretty home residence neighbors;  
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-S: UNFURNISHED APART-  
 1 room; gas range, bath, phone.  
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 -S: A SUNNY, MODERN 2-ROOM  
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 2-ROOM FLAT. UNFURNISHED.  
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**Furnished Place.**  
 -S: NEW, FINELY FURNISHED 2-  
 room; gas range, bath; very com-  
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 to all points; reasonable rent. 222 N.

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**CONFIDENCE.**

**SHOULD BEGIN  
PAYING CO**

*No Excuse for Further  
of Scrip by Banks*

**Well-Known Financier  
of Existing Conditions**

**Recent Flurry Is Not  
Thing of the Past**

There is no reason why the  
gold banks should not return  
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According to Mr. Jess, there have been many causes to contribute to the present conditions. He showed that there was in the past ten years a loss of \$3,000,000,000; here the Russian and Chinese earthquakes, thus destroyed millions, thus taking vast sum otherwise available for work of man. Enormous sums have been expended on the railroads, and

business and mercantile in character, a business for which there has been a current demand. All of this demand no longer exists in currency. The advance of the times, the increase of living, the advanced value of money, largely due to over-speculation, have lessened the purchasing power of money, and caused an increase of circulating medium in the demand.

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### FLEXIBILITY NEEDED

"In other civilized countries a demand would have been met by issuance of extra currency, without causing any crisis. The need for

making some provision for a circulating medium, thus shown. In the Sherman silver-purchasing clause, its depreciation in the future value of the American dollar. Congress at this time, as now, should understand the necessity of legislation to place a circulating medium on a safe and sound basis by making it flexible. The many trouble at present was a currency famine and this was caused by withdrawal of confidence.

Another cause which helped the present panic was the investigation of the affairs of the life insurance companies, showing that the business institutions were conducting the personal interests of the owners at the expense of the exposures of Thomas W. Fortune of the systems used by our great cities; the utter disregard of corporations for the law; the fact

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"Mr. Roosevelt has said: 'No man, no man that has not been guilty of breaking the laws, need fear litigation.'"

"It would be sad indeed to find we have come to a time when respect is shown for the laws and violation of them has become a man that their enforcement work for our injury instead of our benefit."

**WHAT NEW YORK DOES**

"The banks of New York are the only ones that have not been broken up by the law."

confidence which developed, so that without any ability to create money to meet the emergency necessities of the case demanded reservation of the money which then held, and therefore that upon a clearinghouse basis. In this control, the wheels of life have been kept moving, labor has kept in employment and the business of the country has gone forward under circumstances which

The San Francisco disaster in Los Angeles an enormous business along all lines, which later increased capital, and the at that time refused to supply on speculative ventures. This suited in the present splendid tion of business interests here.

"The question uppermost in the mind of some is whether the banks have the right to assume the dictatorial role they did in denying the depositor's right to receive the amount of his deposit in coin, which resolves itself into a question as to whether the depositor had the moral right to withdraw his deposit.

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## SHOULD BEGIN PAYING COIN.

No Excuse for Further Use  
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Well-Known Financier Tells  
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Recent Flurry Is Now a  
Thing of the Past.

"There is no reason why the Los Angeles banks should not return to normal conditions and use currency and coin in the conduct of their business without further delay," said Stoddard in a talk before the Los Angeles Credit Men's Association at Levy's last evening. "The Governor of the state, in my opinion, should abolish legal holidays, as there is no further reason for their existence. The banks could, in the first place, have effectively controlled the situation, and in the manner stimulated the confidence of the people."

"When the present financial upheaval struck us in October, all conditions were those of prosperity, and except to the student of finance, no danger signals were apparent. With good crops for several years disposed of at high prices, with mills and factories working at full blast, with markets for manufactured goods; with labor fully employed at high wages; with an ever-increasing output of wealth from the mines, we have had a boom, and our securities have fallen millions of dollars in value; banks have closed their doors, and activities in many directions have been suspended."

According to Mr. Jess, there have been many causes to contribute to the present conditions. He showed how the boom in the past ten years caused a loss of \$1,000,000,000; how the San Francisco and Chilean earthquakes had destroyed millions, thus taking away a source of enormous sums have been used by the railroads, manufacturers and merchants in the expansion of their business for which there has been a great demand. All of this capital no longer exists in currency. The extravagance of the times, the increased cost of living, the advanced value of real estate, largely due to over-speculation, have lessened the purchasing power of money, and caused an insufficient amount of circulating medium to meet the demand.

"Under normal conditions," he said, "there is a plethora of money in the money centers during the summer, which is sufficient to meet the demand in the fall to move the crops. During the past year the demand for money was so great that it was actively sought during the spring and summer, thus preventing the usual accumulation of surplus. The cooperation of note brokers with manufacturers and merchants during the summer, however, caused the banker to lose his balance on the situation, and excessive credits were obtained against their deposits."

"When the commercial paper thus obtained began to mature this fall there was not sufficient demand for it to pay it by renewal, resulting in the necessity of the banks to over-advance in order to protect their customers in their paper at its maturity."

FLEXIBILITY NEEDED.

"In other civilized countries this demand would have been met by the issuance of extra currency, without prejudicing any crisis. The necessity for raising some provision for a flexible circulating medium is thus readily seen. In 1893, the Sherman act, with its silver-purchasing clause, caused a depression in the future value of the American dollar. Congress at that time, as now, should understand the necessity of legislation to place our circulating medium on a safe and rational basis by making it flexible. The primary trouble at present was the currency famine and this was accentuated by withdrawal of confidence of the people. This resulted in the locking up of large quantities of money, taken from an already too scant circulating medium."

Another cause which helped toward the present panic was the investigation of the affairs of the life insurance companies, showing that the business of these institutions was conducted for the personal interests of the officials, the exposures of Thomas W. Lawson to the systems used by our great financiers, the other disaster of our good friends for the law; the failure of money banks and trust companies, recently mismanaged by their officials, and finally the manipulation of copper stocks and the effect their depreciation had on the general stock exchange, and the banks in which P. Augustus Heise was interested.

"President Roosevelt has been criticized severely and ever proud for his persistency in ferreting out law-breakers. There would be just as much justice in blaming a policeman for a crime committed by a thief as President Roosevelt has said: 'No honest man, no man that has not been guilty of breaking the laws, need fear investigation.'"

"It would be and indeed to feel that we have come to a time when a little respect is shown for the laws and the violation of them has become so common that their enforcement should work for our injury instead of our good."

WHAT NEW YORK DID.

"The banks of New York and other parts of the country, with the loss of confidence which developed, concluded that without any ability to create more money to meet the emergency, the necessity of the case demanded a conservation of the money which they then held, and therefore they went upon a clearinghouse basis. Through this control, the wheels of industry have been kept moving. Money kept in employment and the general business of the country has gone forward under quite normal conditions. In Southern California the financial condition has been handled in such a manner through the cooperation of the banks and their depositors that no ill effects have occurred."

The San Francisco disaster produced in Los Angeles an expansion of business along all lines, which necessitated increased capital, and the banks at that time refused to supply money on speculative ventures. This has resulted in the present application of the law of business interests here. Merchants and manufacturers have resorted to sell their paper in eastern markets and have realized themselves with the accommodations offered at the time."

"The question that arises in the minds of some is whether the bank has the right to assume the dictatorial attitude in denying the depositor the right to receive the amount of his deposit in coin, which resolves itself into a question as to whether the depositor has a moral right to withdraw his money from actual circulation. Money is not up and not made use of as it is employed of no value. Every intelligent depositor of a bank knows full well that no bank can pay its depositors the total amount

of their deposits on demand as this would necessitate the holding in coin in its vaults the entire amount of deposits, thus nullifying its very purpose of investment. Too many men deposit their money in a certain bank because their banker happens to be a personal friend or belongs to a certain church or lodge, and not because after careful investigation they have satisfied themselves that the bank is honestly and conservatively managed."

NO AFTER EFFECT.

"Because of the good crops, the earnings of our transportation companies, and the comparative bareness of the market in manufactured goods, the reaction from this depression will be less severe and protracted. There is a reasonable why the results in Los Angeles and Southern California should be less severe than in other sections of the country. We continue to enjoy active immigration, and still hold that one asset, the most valuable any country ever had, and that is the climate, which will be had by the man of wealth regardless of cost, thus bringing here stored capital from all other parts of the country."

"We cannot avert financial upheavals and resultant disasters, we should be largely able to control them. This can be done by the issuance of a flexible circulating medium under which extraordinary demands can be met, by the issuance of an emergency currency sufficient in amount to meet the demands without making it necessary to curtail credits by calling loans and thus disturb the equilibrium existing in the money centers. Several plans have been advocated, prominent of which are 'The Central Bank of Issue' plan recommended by the New York Chamber of Commerce, patterned largely after the Bank of France and the Imperial Bank of Germany, both owned by private owners but controlled jointly by the government and the owners."

"The other plan is the American Bankers' plan, providing for an emergency credit currency permitting any national bank actively engaged in business for one year, with a plus of 20 per cent. of its capital, to issue additional notes without security, equal to 40 per cent. of its bond-secured circulation, subject to a tax of 2 1/2 per cent. per annum on the average amount outstanding, and a further amount equal to 1 1/2 per cent. of its capital, subject to a tax of 1 per cent."

THE "CENTRAL BANK PLAN."

"In the 'Central Bank plan' this bank would act as fiscal agent for the government, receiving all deposits of public money that now remain in the vaults of the United States treasury; it would also have the right to rediscount notes for banks, such notes to be secured by certain classes of security, making them available within a certain time, and further, the highly necessary and important right to issue an emergency currency, properly based on money reserve and money collateral to meet all emergencies."

"Both plans have their advocates, their advantages and disadvantages. 'The principal requirements are all covered by the Central Bank plan, which, however, may pass under political control now. Its operation is made to subserve the interests of a certain part of the country or class of people at the expense of the interests of others.'"

"By the American Bankers' plan the power of protection is left with the bank needing it, and can be invoked at any time the necessity arises, but under this plan no rediscounting facilities are insured and the only method of keeping government money in circulation is by deposit with the banks as at present. The expensive lesson in the school of experience which the country has just passed through will undoubtedly cause Congress to enact proper legislation for providing a flexible currency."

In concluding Mr. Jess complimented the Los Angeles banks for the efficient manner in which they have met the depression, as well as in the manner in which the people have cooperated in upholding the financial condition of the city, thus making possible a more speedy recovery than in any other section of the country."

Previous to the address of Stoddard, J. S. MacFarlane in a short speech filled with humorous allusions and good advice offered the members of the association special Christmas cheer and good wishes. Mrs. Dwight H. Hart and Miss Hazel Runge offered several musical numbers, which were heartily enjoyed. H. Flatau, president of the association, presided.

## BACK TO THE REANCH. ENORMOUS FARM FIGURES.

PRODUCTS LAST YEAR WORTH  
OVER SEVEN BILLIONS.

The Secretary of Agriculture Shows  
the Importance of the Agricultural  
Industry of the Country—Total  
Products Were a Tenth Greater  
Last Year Than the Year Previous.

"The farmer has much to be thankful for," is the mild way in which the Secretary of Agriculture begins his story of the past year. "During the first half of the year he was threatened with general crop failure throughout the length and breadth of the country east of the Rocky Mountains. The very last day was exhausted that could be withheld from crop growth and still leave a harvest worth taking. Every necessary day for the developing of the corn crop was worth 20,000,000 bushels of corn. Cotton needed a longer time and offered to pay 30,000,000 pounds of lint for the favor of each day of growth during the full term. Wheat offered over 4,000,000 bushels a day, tobacco 7,000,000 pounds, potatoes 2,000,000 bushels and beets 6,000,000 pounds of sugar."

"The entire production of the farms was at stake and was dependent on a crop-growing season of sufficient length and every day of sunshine was worth \$50,000,000 to the farmer and the nation."

At the end of the harvest the farmer has provided the country with commodities that are equal to the average of recent years in quantity and vastly more than are needed for national consumption. His compensation for his year's work is \$7,412,000,000.

The miner can restore the mineral to the mine. With the farmer it is different. The primal forces and atoms of the universe are his. The sun shines and the rain falls and the farmer applies his art and science to inexhaustible resources, ever adding enormously to the country's wealth, capital, credit and welfare."

"The grand total for 1907 is \$7,412,000,000. This is \$857,000,000 above the value of 1906, \$1,103,000,000 above that of 1905, \$1,600,000,000 above that of 1904, \$1,485,000,000 above that of 1903, and \$2,650,000,000 above the census amount for 1900."

"The value of the farm products of 1907 was 10 per cent. greater than that of 1906, 17 per cent. over 1904, 25 per cent. over 1903, and 51 per cent. over 1900."



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**Squirrels on State's Pay Roll.**  
There is probably no State in the Union that has squirrels on its pay-rolls except Pennsylvania. The official expense account shows that the frisky little rodents in the Capitol park at Harrisburg are provided for by the State. In the contract for pub-

lic supplies are included a quantity of black walnuts and hickory nuts, which are to be fed to the aforesaid squirrels when the cold days of winter make it hard for them to get sustenance. These cunning little creatures are the pets of the town, and this provision for their support meets with hearty local approval.

...SEE...  
**San Diego**  
TODAY

## Auction 16 COWS 3 HORSES

130 chickens. On C. R. Short ranch, one-half mile north of Studio City. Take S. P. Train leaving Los Angeles at 10:30 a.m. in Studio City. Trains in waiting.

Friday, December 20

At 10 a.m. 3 head all purpose horses, weight about 1200 lbs., each in good condition, all good work stock; 16 chickens; 10 head milk cows, Jersey and Guernsey, fresh and coming fresh, all young and good family and dairy cows. These cows belong to the Dunbar Dairy. Implements: 1 team disc, 2 mowers, 2 rakes, 2 farm wagons, harness, buggy, household goods, etc. Terms: 5 month time to be given on cows with note and approved security. Horses and implements sell for cash. This is a genuine closing out sale and everything will positively sell without reserve or limit. Free lunch at noon. C. R. Short, owner. RHOADES & RHOADES, Auctioneers. Office 400-425 S. Main. Phone 7-1245, Main 1245.

## Auction Saturday, Dec. 21, 10 A.M. 830-32 South Main St.

Special consignment from warehouse for immediate sale, consisting of one five upright piano, odd dressers and commodes, enameled iron and brass beds, all brass beds, springs, mattresses, rockers and chairs, couches, one square piano, bookcase, sideboards, buffets, morris chairs, of side furniture, hall trees, sewing machines, center stands, clocks, folding beds, extension tables, dining chairs, body Brussels, tapestry, axminster and English art squares, carpets, rug, cook stoves, gas ranges, heaters, kitchen tables, utensils, etc., etc.

Seats for ladies.  
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## Auction OF HIGH GRADE FURNITURE Friday, Dec. 20, 10 a.m. At 3017 Dalton Avenue

—Comprising—  
Expensive upholstered chairs and sofas in leather, Axminster rug, curtains, mahogany sectional bookcase and table, mahogany dressing table, chiffonier and dresser, brass chairs, mahogany marble writing desk, rockers and chairs, round carpeted table, one of a kind, china, glassware, refrigerator, kitchen utensils, etc. Also one gramophone and records. Free lunch at noon. C. R. Short, owner. RHOADES & RHOADES, Auctioneers. Office 400-425 S. Main. Phone 7-1245, Main 1245.

## Auction Saturday, Dec. 21, 10 a.m. 751 Ottawa St.

Furniture of 7-room residence, comprising mahogany Roman chair, center table and rockers, carpets, curtains, etc. Also one gramophone and records. Free lunch at noon. C. R. Short, owner. RHOADES & RHOADES, Auctioneers. Office 400-425 S. Main. Phone 7-1245, Main 1245.

## Auction Sale Thursday, Dec. 19, At 10 a.m. sharp at 431 East Seventh St.

The entire contents of the Independent Furniture Co. to satisfy the creditors, consisting of part of fine oak dressers, commodes, sideboards, tables of all kinds, steel and gas ranges, upholstered seats, chairs, rockers, etc. Also one gramophone and records. Free lunch at noon. C. R. Short, owner. RHOADES & RHOADES, Auctioneers. Office 400-425 S. Main. Phone 7-1245, Main 1245.

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## Legal. Stockholders Meeting.

In compliance with a resolution of the Board of Directors a special meeting of the stockholders of the Carnation Mining Company will be held at the office of the company in room 811 Broadway Building, in the city of Los Angeles, Cal., at three o'clock in the afternoon of Friday, December 27th, 1907, for the purpose of authorizing a transfer and conveyance of its property.

E. BOUTON, President.

**NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.**  
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Bank of Los Angeles, Cal., will be held at the bank building, on the southwest corner of Main and Fourth streets in the city of Los Angeles, Cal., on Tuesday, January 14, 1908, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year and for transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

CHAS. SETTLER, Cashier.  
Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 14, 1907.







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"The surest way to avoid dry rot is to  
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Learn to know them in the right way.  
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truth is in the sciences. Pictures are

invaluable. Study pictures of child  
life; they will interest you in the child-  
ren. Healthy interest is the surest  
preventive of 'dry rot'.

"On the walls of my office are many  
pictures illustrating child life. I find  
in them an inspiration. When I see a  
picture that appeals to me, I buy it.

The outlay is small and the benefit  
derived is worth many times the sum. I  
think that if a teacher surrounds her-  
self with pictures of the right sort, she  
cannot fail to profit by them.

THE VALUE OF PICTURES.

"Many of the pictures which, as a  
rule, are referred to as 'children's pic-  
tures' are much more useful to the  
adult. If the artist is a student of  
child life, he probably has succeeded in  
catching the personal charm which  
must appeal to all. Here we have a  
picture of a little girl playing with her  
doll, her face wreathed in smiles; there  
is the sad-faced little chap who be-  
lieves that nobody loves him and in  
consequence is determined to 'go into  
the garden and eat worms'.

"I explain these pictures to the chil-  
dren sometimes. They seem to under-  
stand them and appreciate the senti-  
ment voiced. But it is to the teachers  
that they should prove particularly in-  
spiring, for they should encourage  
study of child life and ambitions.

"Books dealing with child life should  
be read. There is much that can be  
learned from them. Surround yourself  
with suitable books. I read mine over  
and over again as I do the Bible.

There is much that is inspiring in  
them. Read some of the humorous  
ones to the children. If we had more  
humor in our school rooms they would  
be brighter and the lives of the chil-  
dren would be correspondingly illumi-  
nated."

MULTIPAROUS SUBJECTS.

Throughout the day there were meet-  
ings for the purpose of considering  
various branches of school work. At  
the Polytechnic High School sessions were  
held on modern languages, mathemat-  
ics, art and manual training, ancient  
languages, kindergarten, domestic  
science and rural schools. The High School  
was held an important session on  
arithmetic. Superintendent J. W. Mc-  
Clintock delivered the address. The  
talk was principally with reference to  
the subject as taught in the seventh  
and eighth grades.

"Wild Animals as I Have Known" was  
the subject of an interesting talk by  
A. H. Adair. It was to wild human  
animals that he referred; he demanded  
a system of education which would  
educate these in the right way. He  
pleaded for fewer fanciful notions and  
more really valuable matter. "Grades,  
as at present used in public schools,  
must soon go," said he, "for people  
must learn that it is impossible to  
grind the same sort of training into  
different sorts of human beings."

Yesterday's business of the institute  
was brought to a close with a series  
of resolutions. It was decided to  
urge upon the boards of education the  
necessity of establishing a series of  
physical examinations in the schools  
for the purpose of detecting defective  
conditions in the health and develop-  
ment of the pupils. It was also re-  
solved to support legislation which  
should make such examinations com-  
pulsory. The idea of free text-books  
was endorsed.

Finally a resolution was passed  
thanking County Superintendent Kep-  
ple for the manner in which he and  
his associates carried on the work of  
the institute for 1907.

THREAT IN GILLET'S OFFICE.

Finn Displays Revolver and Gets Gov-  
ernor's Signature—Calls Sacra-  
mento People Pigs.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
SACRAMENTO, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive  
Dispatch.] Frans Emmanuel Kivekas,  
a Finnish man who claims San Francisco  
as his home, after flourishing a revolver  
in the office of Gov. Gillet yesterday  
morning and relieving himself of an  
opinion that Sacramento people are  
pigs, left for San Francisco on the  
last hundred-mile stage of a pedestrian  
trip around the world, bearing with him  
in a haversack letters from the Gov-  
ernor and Mayor Beard, with others  
signed by the Gov., President Roose-  
velt, and other notables.

When Kivekas called at the Gov-  
ernor's office, Miss Nora Andrews,  
stenographer to the Governor, ex-  
plained that the Governor was very  
busy Kivekas became excited, drew  
a heavy revolver and became so threat-  
ening that the girl wrote out a letter  
for the Governor to sign, and Gillet  
affixed his signature.

Kivekas says that he is making his  
long walk on a wager, having bet two  
friends in San Francisco \$6000 that he  
could walk around the world in five  
years. He will get back to San Fran-  
cisco by a year ahead of time.

NUNZIO NABI'S ARREST LEGAL.

ROME, Dec. 18.—The Chamber of  
Deputies, after an hour's discussion,  
decided today by a vote of 293 to 91,  
that the arrest of Nunzio Nasi, former  
minister of public instruction, was  
legal.

# For Proper Choosing

From our great stock you will be able to find something that will completely please.  
There is every opportunity for appropriate selecting. We suggest a few suitable  
gifts from three of our departments:

## In Gold Jewelry

Brooches, \$2.25 up.  
Locketts, \$1.25 up.  
Crosses, \$1.75 up.  
Back Combs, \$2.25 up.

Necklaces, \$7.00 up.  
Cuff Links, \$2.25 up.  
Waist Pins, \$1.50 up.  
Scarf Pins, \$1.00 up.

Hat Pins, \$1.00 up.  
Rings, all Prices.  
Watch Chains, \$2.00 up.  
Fobs, \$5.75 up.

## In Cut Glass

Cracker Jars, \$15.00 up.  
Bon Bon Dishes, \$5.00 up.  
Wine Glasses, \$30.00 per doz.  
Sherbet Glasses, \$16.50 per doz.  
Vases, \$3.50 up.  
Goblets, \$15.00 up.  
Sugar and Creamer sets \$3.50 up.  
Olive Dishes, \$2.00 up.  
Knife Rests, \$2.25.  
Bread Plates, \$9.50 up.  
Mayonnaise Bowls, \$4.50 up.  
Powder Boxes, \$5.75 up.  
Cruets, \$3.75 up.  
Spoon Holders, \$8.00 up.  
Fruit Bowls, \$4.25 up.  
Ice Cream Sets, \$25.00 up.  
Celery Trays, \$3.25 up.

## In Sterling Silver

Cream Ladles, \$1.25 up.  
Olive Spoons, \$1.25 up.  
Crumb Scrapers, \$8.50 up.  
Bon Bon Dishes, \$2.00 up.  
Card Cases, \$3.75 up.  
Shaving Brushes, \$1.25 up.  
Match Boxes, \$1.50 up.  
Pencil Holders, \$1.25 up.  
Scissors, 50c up.  
Call Bells, \$3.00 up.  
Souvenir Cups, 50c.  
Butter Picks, \$1.50 up.  
Special Swastika Brooch Pins, \$1.00.  
Vases, \$1.50 up.  
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| Kid boudoir slippers, dainty shades, \$1.25.           | Genuine alligator, calf trimmed, \$3.50.       |
| Crocheted slippers, \$1.25.                            | Men's Indian moccasins, \$2.00.                |
| Alfred Dolge felt Romeos, fur trimmed, \$1.50, \$2.00. | Men's cavalier bootees, chamois lined, \$3.50. |
| Women's Indian moccasins, \$1.75.                      | Brown ooze calf cavaliers, \$5.00.             |
| Children's Indian moccasins, \$1.50.                   | Men's leather Romeos, \$2.50.                  |
|  | Other styles, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50.          |

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## TO RETURN VIA SUEZ.

(Continued From First Page.)

presents a magnificent picture. So far  
as the eye can see stretches the ex-  
panse of deep blue water, glittering  
under the warm rays of the sun, while  
the two lines of white-painted ships  
of war plowing along, like the beau-  
tiful, powerful machines they are, with  
their crowns all attired in white uni-  
form, would form a fine subject for  
the brush of an artist.

## WASHINGTON HAS RECEIVED NO NEWS.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Not a  
single official message was received at  
the Navy Department today from Ad-  
miral Evans's flagship, nor from any  
of the vessels of the fleet.  
Both the White House and the Navy  
Department discredited what purports  
to be a wireless message from the bat-  
tle-ship Connecticut to the effect that  
President Roosevelt has informed Ad-  
miral Evans that the fleet would re-  
turn by way of the Suez canal.  
Secretary Loeb tonight said that no  
plan for the return of the fleet had yet  
been formulated. None of the Navy  
Department heads—Secretary Metcalf,  
Assistant Secretary Newberry, or Ad-  
miral Brownson—through whose hands  
must pass all orders for the fleet,  
knows the itinerary for the homeward  
voyage. They decline to give credence  
to what they term "warroom gossip."

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## Holiday Rates

Via Salt Lake Route

One and one-third fare (but not less than 35 cents) between  
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tion.

## JAPAN ASSURES CORDIALITY.

COMMENTS ON BIG CRUISE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)  
TOKIO, Dec. 18.—The Jiji, in its  
editorial leader tomorrow, will say:  
"The dispatch of the American fleet  
to the Pacific is a noteworthy naval  
undertaking worth attracting the at-  
tention of the world. We, however,  
do not entertain the opinion, even for a  
moment, that it is intended as a

threat to Japan. Should the fleet visit  
these shores, the most cordial recep-  
tion worthy of the special friendship  
existing between the two nations is as-  
sured."  
"The only fear is that the dispatch  
of the fleet may serve to encourage the  
anti-Japanese feeling on the Pacific  
Coast, and lead to the repetition of  
the regrettable incidents in San Fran-  
cisco. We trust, however, that the  
United States will take the necessary  
precautions to prevent this."

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About two dozen in the lot, ranging in value, at regular prices, from \$82.50 to \$175.00.

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A lot of coats, too, is listed to go this week at the half-value mark. These coats and suits are of the better class; new in design and material. Plain light colored broadcloth, and black broadcloth for street wear, and fancy coating materials for street use. These coats are most appropriate for gifts.

**Furs for Christmas**

Where all things should not be bought haphazard. Look around, and you will find the better class of furs. These furs are of the best quality and value. If that is not enough, they are also the latest in design and material. These furs are most appropriate for gifts.

**Half price jewelry sale continues all this week. "Onyx"**  
Jewelry make regal Christmas presents. Don't forget to place orders.

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# Los Angeles Daily Times

THURSDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 19, 1907.

## DESERTS FROM ARMY FOR LIFE OF CRIME.

**Daredevil Hold-up Man Blames Officer for His Downfall; and Frankly Confesses—White's Hope Was to Become a Lawyer.**

GEORGE WHITE, the wild young daredevil who held up the Hot River saloon at the point of two six-shooters, was taken into Justice Ross's court for arraignment yesterday.



**George White, Hold-up Man,**  
the daredevil exsoldier who tells The Times the interesting details of his reckless life.

stance, to his hatred for a certain lieutenant of artillery.

"I was a tall, straight young fellow, with the spring and elasticity that always bespeaks the professional soldier. Nearly all the other highwaymen in jail are rough and low in their talk. White speaks rapidly and well, without slang and ruffianism.

All hope or thought of hope has gone from him. He knows that the best part of his life will be canceled; that he will come out of prison middle-aged and broken. Revenge against the "pal" who turned traitor to him, and against the officer who arrested him, have become his consuming ambition.

"I know well enough," said White, his face working with emotion, "that I have ruined my life. It's terrible to think back and figure what might have happened if I hadn't made this awful mistake.

"The trouble with me has always been that I couldn't stay in one place. I would be getting along fine when this cursed desire to wander around some place would strike me.

"I was a deserter," he said, as though answering a question. "That's one of the reasons I am here. It was a supercilious, snobbish lieutenant, he added savagely, as though he hated the recollection of it. "No, he wasn't a West Pointer; worse than that. The West Pointers make you feel that you are just plain dog and are whipped to this fellow rubbed it in. He had come up through the ranks and he was so afraid that everybody wouldn't be impressed with his superiority that he made life hell to his company.

"I had been in the Philippines, where life was swift and rather free, and at this point it was pretty hard for me to bear, anyhow. I didn't like the artillery. It was at one of those stiff, punctilious Atlantic coast ports.

"This particular lieutenant came down hard on me, nagging me until it made me wild. Finally one day he ordered me to do some duty outside the regular routine. I was a carpenter by trade, and he ordered me to do some carpenter's work. I signified my intention of not doing it.

"He immediately sent for me to come to his quarters. When I got there he began bullying me some more and repeated the order in a way that made me crazy. At last I told him that I wouldn't execute that order or any other order from him because I considered him a dirty cur.

## CHURCHES RIDDLE MOORE'S PRETENSES.

Reply of Church Federation to His Letter.

THE Church Federation of Los Angeles issued last evening a strong statement in reply to the letter sent to that body by School Superintendent Moore in defense of his course forbidding the featuring in the Christmas school exercises of the truth of Christ's birth and the real significance of Christmas Day.

The federation, with courtesy and in a Christian spirit, but with a pointed and aggressive pen, protests against Moore's disregard of the Christian sentiment of the city; insists that reference in song and recitation to the divine Jesus would not violate the law and Constitution; reiterates that this is a Christian nation and that the highest courts have decided against Moore's strict construction; and declares that childhood could suffer no greater loss than the loss of the truth concerning the birth of Christ.

Following is the official statement of the Church Federation:

**STATEMENT:**  
The Executive Committee of the Church Federation is glad that Dr. E. C. Moore states in his letter of December 17, 1907, copies of which appeared in the public press, that he had not directed or intended that the name of Christ should be excluded from the Christmas celebrations in our city schools.

"This Committee, however, feels it incumbent upon itself to take this occasion to impress the truth decided by the highest courts in America that this is a Christian nation and it is too narrow a construction of our organic law to say that only those 'religious references which give offense to no one' are permissible or legal.

"This Committee also thinks it necessary to declare that in its opinion the celebration of the ordinary Christmas festival, in which reference may be made, in song and recitation, to Jesus the Christ as Divine Lord and Savior, would not be teaching 'denominational or dogmatic doctrine,' within the meaning of the constitutional provision quoted by Dr. Moore.

"We appreciate the delicate and sacred duties that belong to the office of the superintendent of the public schools and the enormous influence on the young life of the community exercised by one who may occupy that position, and are profoundly anxious that no suggestion come from that source to the teachers that might be justly construed as excluding Jesus Christ from that very festival that would be meaningless without Him, and the absence of His name from which would be to the children a denial of Him.

"We are persuaded that an overwhelming majority of the parents and children of Los Angeles hold to the truth of Christ, whose birth is celebrated at the Christmas time, and that childhood could suffer no greater loss than the loss of that truth.

"The members of this committee deem it proper to suggest that the sentiment of the vast majority of the patrons of our public schools be not disregarded in an over-zealous effort to give offense to no one.

"We believe in the principle that our public officials should maintain the law, but we do not consent to an interpretation of this law in so narrow a manner as to make it become offensive to Christian sentiment.

"We would further declare that we have no just ground for believing that any large part of our citizenship is opposed to the ordinary Christmas celebration in the city schools—certainly we have no ground for believing that our Jewish fellow-citizens could object to such a celebration. On the contrary, we are persuaded that all real lovers of our country would look with grave concern on a too narrow interpretation of Section 8 of the Constitution of California, by which interpretation the State would be made to deny the very fundamental truths on which its own stability depends.

(Signed) "REV. EDWIN F. RYLAND, President.  
"CHURCH FEDERATION OF LOS ANGELES.  
"December 18, 1907."

a gun in one of my boots. When the brakemen came around to me and demanded money, I would poke my gun into their stomachs and tell them to climb back onto the car and behave; which they always did.

"When Detective King first stopped me, I had my gun in my boot. He went away and I changed it; when he came back, it was in the breast of my shirt.

**FAR FROM OUTDOORS.**  
"He came up to me and felt it in my shirt. He said nothing, but suddenly backed off and pointed his revolver at me—and it was all off."

White complains bitterly at the way he was treated by King, but says Detective Hosick, at the City Jail, who has his case in charge, has shown him humane and civil treatment.

"Of course," says White, wistfully, "I've got to go to prison now. Don't I know that? A fellow only has one life to live, and it's pretty hard to know he has wasted that. It's all off with my ever becoming a lawyer now. The best of my life will be capped up. It will be all the way from five to fifteen years before I ever see outdoors again."

**ON FROZEN HONEYMOON.**

Former Angelino Will Take His Bride from Sunny Southland to Icebergs and Glaciers of Alaska.

A honeymoon starting in the country of the afternoon and ending in the land of the midnight sun at a time when the luminous orb is working only a short shift, is a novelty which appeals to Mrs. Albert Sidney McDowell, nee Miss Barbara Hennan.

She is a Saville girl, and her marriage to Mr. McDowell took place the day before yesterday. California is the honeymoon land par excellence, but this newly wedded pair will leave the warm and the flowers behind and travel to a region of ice and snow where the Copper River flows over the golden sands of Alaska. Mrs. McDowell is a courageous little woman, and instead of sighing for the southland she is eagerly looking forward to the journey, to use her own words, she thinks it will be "a dandy experience."

The bridegroom is a mine owner, who has worked claims on the Copper River which have yielded him a good profit for a number of years. He desires to get into his mines "over the ice" as the thaw will not come for several months yet the trip north will be made in leisurely fashion. San Francisco, Portland and Seattle will be visited en route. At the latter port steamer will be taken to the mouth of the Copper River and from thence the trip to the mines must be made by dog sled. When summer comes and Alaska is rid of its shroud of snow, the honeymoon will be renewed and a trip taken through the beautiful and majestic interior.

A quiet home affair was the wedding. Only near relatives were invited. They gathered in a fern-embowered drawing room, charmingly decorated with violet, the favorite color of the bride. Rev. J. S. Thompson of the Independent Church of Christ, officiated. Miss Gladys H. Hanpau was

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## BANKER TRIES DEATH-TRICK.

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Accused Thief of Over Half Million Taken.

Walker Found in Mountains Below Border.

In a dirty little cell in the Mexican jail at Ensenada, Lower California, William F. Walker, alleged absconding treasurer of the Savings Bank of New Britain, Ct., is held prisoner, awaiting transportation to the scene of the crime.

Far back in the mountains, 100 miles from Ensenada, the man was captured by a Pinkerton detective two days ago, after he had been tracked for ten months.

Walker is almost a wreck. His nerves are gone. He stutters when he talks, and trembles when any one addresses him. From the spick and span banker he had become the hunted man of the mountains, with eyes trained to catch the first glimpse of pursuers, with ear waiting the slightest sound of official feet. He is like a trapped animal, swollen and desperate; but careful when speaking of himself.

At Ensenada, yesterday, the man attempted to avoid the searching questions of the Pinkerton operative, and then finally admitted that he is the Walker wanted in the East. With downcast eye the man who is alleged to have made away with more than \$500,000 not his own made the confession of his identity.

"I am the man you want," he said. "I am William F. Walker. But I never took those securities. I took nothing that did not belong to me. I have no money now. I have no securities. Do what you will with me, but I will sever what having done something that I did not do."

Walker will begin his long journey back to face his accusers within a day. He will be brought across the line by Pinkerton men, and to Los Angeles. The report of the capture was received by Superintendent Bailey of the local Pinkerton office yesterday. He gave out the first authentic news of the successful termination of the long search. According to Bailey, Walker would make no statement of the details of the charges against him. The accused man will be hurried East as soon as a warrant arrives.

**CAPTURED AMONG PEONAS.**

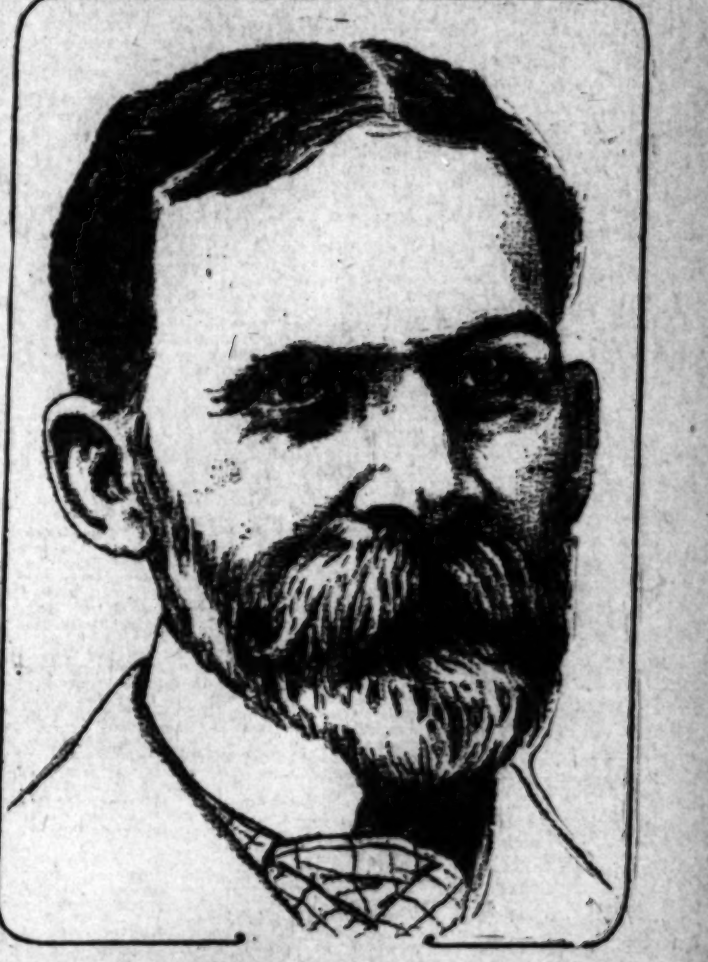
The arrest was made by the Pinkerton detective, with the aid of the Chief of Police of Ensenada and his posse. In the mountains, in one of the most God-forsaken spots on earth, Walker had been living the life of a recluse. No one knew his business at the little mining camp. His companions were peons. The white man in charge of the camp knew little more than that Walker was traveling—and not for his health. He asked no questions. It is unwholesome to ask questions of strange men in the Ensenada country. To a man like Walker, who had been accustomed to luxury, who had spent his life in the crowded highways and in ways of the East, the life of the wilds was a hell on earth.

The food was coarse, the country rough, the men unsocialable, and inclined to be brutal. He slept in a filthy hotel on unclean bedding. He was hunted, and he died a thousand deaths with every imaginary capture. To his hip he buckled a heavy revolver. It was to be his last resort. He carried a small bottle of poison in his pocket. His resource was gone. If captured, he saw only one ending. That was death.

The Pinkerton detective knew of these things and took no chances. The chief of police and his men rode with him. They went deep into the mountains through "Snugglers' Pass," where it is dangerous for officers; on, into the deeper cañons, and then to the little mining camp of Balara.

The sound of the approaching horses drove the fear of capture deep into the heart of one man in that camp. With

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**William F. Walker,**  
defaulting treasurer of the New Britain (Ct.) Savings Bank, shot over half a million dollars, captured in the mountains back of Ensenada.







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In Mexico, Reports brought in from the Republic of Mexico by mining men of this city, who are returning for the holidays, indicate that the copper mining industry has been little affected by the low metal prices on this side of the line. James P. Harvey, consulting engineer and field manager for Patry Clark and associates has just returned from a tour of inspection of the copper mines in Jalisco and reports conditions as prosperous. These properties were recently acquired by Patry Clark and associates from L. J. Perry, J. M. Lyons and J. P. Harvey of this city, and a crew of 120 men is now employed in exploiting the ore bodies and sinking a main working shaft. The latter has reached a depth of 100 feet and is being pushed as rapidly as possible. The ore is found in large bodies with an average value of 4 per cent, copper with small values in gold and silver. The plans for future handling of the product include a concentrating plant, which will be erected in the near future. The property lies about five miles west of Guadalajara, and is approached from America, the base of supplies. During Manager Harvey's absence operations will be in charge of Patry Clark, Jr.

From Goldfield. Settlement of the controversy which has hindered development of the property of the Bull & Bears corporation and the Norcross Mining Company of Goldfield, Nev., is now being completed and is confirmed by Alden H. Brown, mining engineer of this city, who is interested in the ground in dispute. The property involved embraces 175 acres two miles northeast of town and upon which a large amount of work has been done. Upon the ground that proper annual assessment work had not been done, the property was forfeited to the state. The property is controlled by Butte capitalists, who are expected to undertake development work at once.

Within the past week the influx of Nevada mining men to this city has been large, and it is the consensus of opinion among those who are in a position to judge that the decision of Gen. Fusion to maintain Federal troops at Goldfield for an indefinite period, insures a speedy return to peaceful conditions with more advantages than have hitherto been enjoyed in the storm-riven camp. It is believed that the back of the Nevada unionism has already been broken and it will be only a question of a short time until the principal properties are running with a full quota of men. Among those who are optimistic as to the immediate future is George Vickers, manager and principal owner of the Little Florence lease, who, after a few days in the city, left for a short trip to Colorado yesterday. While the Little Florence is idle at the present time, Manager Vickers expects to resume operations by the 22nd inst. and will return to Goldfield by that date. At the time labor conditions forced the cessation of work the property was producing 100 tons of ore a day, averaging close to \$250 per ton. Owing to lack of smelting facilities, there is now nearly \$500,000 worth of high-grade ore on the dump awaiting shipment. Arrangements have now been made for handling this ore in Colorado and a steady movement will commence as soon as mining is resumed. The lease has already paid nearly \$500,000 in dividends since July.

From Spokane. Among the mining men who are wintering in California is John A. Finch of the firm of Finch & Campbell of Spokane, who, with his wife, is staying at the Maryland Hotel in Pasadena. Mr. Finch is known as one of the most successful operators in the West. Beginning with the Gem mine, at Gem, Idaho, which paid large dividends during the panic of 1903-1904, the firm has successfully handled such properties as the War Eagle at Roseland, B. C.; the Enterprise, Sloan, B. C.; the Standard and Mammoth, at Wallace, Idaho; and the Kendall, at Lewistown, Montana. With the exception of the latter, which is still operated by the firm and which yields monthly dividends of \$20,000, all these properties have brought big figures. The Standard and Mammoth alone having been sold to the Federal Mining and Smelting Company of New York for approximately \$5,000,000. Mr. Finch will remain in Pasadena throughout the winter.

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We have formed a partnership for this Christmas under which the Santa Fe will make the following excursion rate for the round trip on December 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 28, 29, 30 and 31 and January 1st good to come back home until Thursday, January 2d.

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Hemet and back .....	4.0
San Jacinto and back .....	4.0
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\$ 3.75
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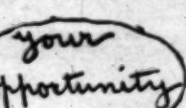




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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

#### PROGRESSIVE.

##### OBJECT LESSON FOR TAXPAYERS.

NEW MILES OF IDEAL ROAD TO BE BUILT AT RIVERSIDE.

Supervisors Will Make Auto Trip to Riverside Where the Work Can Be Seen to Best Advantage—Twenty Thousand Dollars Available for the Project.

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## "Weakness"

The physician who offers you a course of treatment consisting of pills and tonics is a physician employing the old methods, that have always failed. My remedies may stimulate temporarily, but the ultimate result will be disappointing. I cure "weakness" permanently because I have ascertained the true nature of the disorder. In more than 90 per cent. of the cases a slightly inflamed or congested state of the prostate gland is the cause of the "weakness." My treatment is directed toward restoring the prostate gland to its normal condition, and the "weakness" invariably disappears. I am the only physician treating by this method, because I am the discoverer of the necessity for such a method, as well as the originator of the treatment. My ability to restore "weakness" has placed me foremost among specialists treating men's diseases and has brought me patients from all quarters of the American continent.

## Contracted Disorders

I cure Contracted Disorders thoroughly and in less time than is commonly required. I use only those cases that I feel confident I can cure and as my experience has grown I have become able to determine curable and incurable cases with certainty. It is also because my skill in curing has grown and my methods of treatment have been perfected.

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